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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Patent Application of:  
John C. Montagna et al.

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: Group Art Unit: 3612

Appln. No.: 10/748,401

: Examiner: Joseph D. Pape

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Title: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING COMPOSITE VEHICLE PANELS

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Applicants in the above-identified application hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to and including November 18, 2005 for responding to the Office Action of May 18, 2005. A response accompanies this Petition.

☒ The required fee of \$ 1,020.00 is enclosed herewith.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-3541 (Billing No. **D0447.0042** as noted below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

☐ Extension fee in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.00

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Respectfully submitted,

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